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POLICE INVESTIGATE CHILD DEATH IN SERRA MESA

(San Diego) San Diego Police Homicide Unit detectives are investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of a three-month-old female inside a Serra Mesa apartment.

On Tuesday, October 13, at 1:41 p.m., a man called from 9060 Gramercy Drive to report a three-month-old child who was possibly deceased. Paramedics responded and confirmed the infant's death at the scene.

The investigation has revealed that the infant (female) was in the care of a 25-year-old male while her parents were at work. Shortly before calling 9-1-1, the caretaker noticed the infant was cold and pale. The department's Child Abuse Unit conducted the initial investigation, and an autopsy revealed multiple unexplained injuries inflicted over time. On that basis, the Homicide Unit assumed responsibility for the investigation.

Detectives have processed the crime scene for physical evidence and are interviewing five adults who live in the three-bedroom apartment.

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